

BIG PLOT NIPPED IS BRITISH CLAIM

POLICE TAKE PRECAUTIONS
AGAINST POSSIBLE DEM-
ONSTRATION AT BRIS-
TON PRISON

CASUALTY LIST GROWS

FIVE PERSONS KILLED IN EN-
COUNTERS OVER WEEK END
—BOMB IN CORK

London, September 27.—With Lord Mayor MacSwiney weaker than at any time heretofore when he began the 16th day of fasting in Brixton prison today police claimed to have nipped a serious demonstration in his honor.

Kelly Cunningham arrested near Brixton prison, was to be arraigned today on a charge of possessing weapons and sedition. Cunningham, it is reported, has been augmented as a precaution against possible outbreaks by MacSwiney supporters.

Serious Fighting Occurs
Two policemen and three others were killed during the week end in Ireland, according to dispatches received here today. Four of the deaths occurred near Belfast, where attacks on police were repaid with prompt results.

The casualty list showed 29 wounded on Sunday. Five of the wounded were killed on the night in North Belfast, where a riot raged on more than an hour. Heavy fighting which took place drove police station pedestrians from the streets.

One policeman was killed Sunday afternoon near Bradford, county Clare when nearly 100 armed men ambushed a patrol. Another officer was wounded.

The killing of Constable Leonard Saturday night was followed by reprisals in which three wounded Sinn Féin men were killed from their homes near Belfast and shot to death.

Mayor Still Conscious
Lord Mayor MacSwiney was still conscious last night although weaker than at any time since he began his hunger strike, according to a Sinn Féin bulletin issued today. He is said to have slept well before midnight, but to have been restless after the morning. MacSwiney's relatives said he was as determined as ever.

Bomb Explodes in Cork
Cork, Ireland, September 27.—A bomb exploded here early today and destroyed a small soft drink establishment. Police surrounded the place immediately and there was an exchange of rifle fire. Machine guns were brought into play.

PASTOR AND WIFE HONORED AT PARTY

RECEPTION TENDERED REV. AND
MRS. G. M. CALHOUN SAT-
URDAY EVENING AS
A SURPRISE

Members of St. Paul's M. L. church of this city tendered a surprise party on Rev. and Mrs. G. M. Calhoun at their Strong's avenue residence on Saturday evening. Saturday was the 17th wedding anniversary of the pastor and his wife and this combined with Rev. Calhoun's re-assignment to the local church for a fifth year, formed the occasion for the gathering.

The reception was planned under the direction of the Priscilla Aid society of the church, although those present included many other members of the congregation. Those comprising the party arrived at the Calhoun home shortly after 8 o'clock and took Rev. and Mrs. Calhoun completely by surprise.

Rev. W. W. Wilson of this city voiced congratulations of those in attendance and Mrs. R. D. Austin gave additional expression of appreciation of the services of Mrs. Calhoun in church work. Mrs. Austin then presented Mrs. Calhoun with a gift of \$20 in gold.

Members of the party brought refreshments with them and these were served later in the evening. The reception came to a close shortly after 11 o'clock.

POINT WALKS OVER MOSINEE HIGH TEAM FOR 48 TO 0 SCORE

VISITING PLAYER ASSISTS IN
DEFEAT BY MAKING A TOUCH-
DOWN OVER THE WRONG
GOAL

Stomping up and down the field, and charging the back line, the Mosinee line without any apparent effort, the Stevens Point High school football team started off its 1921 interscholastic season by whitewashing the Mosinee High eleven, 48 to 0.

Outside of the entertainment the Mosinee team afforded the crowd, the game was uninteresting from a standpoint of football. Stevens Point had quite its own way from the time the opening whistle sounded until the close of the contest. Barry Mosinee, fullback, pulled a "bone head" play on the second half that should have earned him the home.

The "Bonehead"
Stevens Point had the ball, and a forward pass was called. Barry intercepted the ball and "fiddling up his nose," so to speak, started on a race for his own goal line. Point threw Dave Chase, and then perceiving that he intended to cross his own line, allowed him to continue, and after he had downed the ball was called.

Barry's race cost Mosinee one of its best chances of the game to make any considerable gain and gave Stevens Point a touchback as well. The Mosinee team seemed to lose heart for a short time, but when the end whistle sounded, had the ball set into Stevens Point territory.

All Get Chance
Coach Vincent had ordered practically every man on his team with a sound and hard training men, allowing even the diminutive Kenneth Schmitt to freshen and was weighed well under a hundred pounds to fifteen. Summary is largely four feet tall, but held his own against the Mosinee squad amidst the cheers of the sympathetic crowd.

First Vantage, Stevens Point halfback, made the local's first touchdown. Only a few minutes after the starting whistle it was apparent to everyone which way the contest was to end. Vantage, Moore and Shumway, in the backline, tore through the opponents' line for big gains, and in end runs could not be stopped.

The only man on the Mosinee squad who caused the Stevens Point team any amount of worry was Bolmsdahl, their quarterback. He is a fairly good open field runner, and a hard man to tackle. Mosinee defended for the most part on their quarterback in their game.

Cannot Gauge Team
Owing to the weakness of the opposing team the probable strength of the local High school eleven could not be gauged at the close of the contest. Stevens Point now has a fairly good backfield. The line showed up well against Mosinee, but still needs considerable practice. Bright, who played at left tackle, and Redfield at center, are the only veterans of the 1919 squad in the line.

Showing up Well
Bright is an excellent tackle, and is a good full back as well. He alternated between those two positions Saturday. Redfield is developing into a good center. He easily broke through the Mosinee line and also played a short time at guard. He was a snail in the 1919 squad.

The following started the game for the Point: Razor, re; Bright, rt; Bentley, rg; Redfield, ce; Bannach, lt; Calhoun, lb; Spindler, lb; Finch, qb; Vantage, rh; Boone, rh; Shumway, fl.

Bentley, Stevens Point guard, sustained an injury to his thumb in the first period but will probably keep him out of the game for some time. The first joint of the finger was knocked completely out of its socket, receiving a physician's attention he returned to the field and watched the remainder of the contest.

NEW NAVAL ORDERS
Local Office Instructed Relative to
Enlistment

C. L. Brauning of the Stevens Point Naval recruiting office, calls attention to the following, from the Bureau of Navigation:
"Until further orders, qualified radio operators who enlist in the navy for a period of four years may have the choice of two years' service at a shore station in any naval district.
"Preference of station in such district will also be followed wherever practicable, but no promise of any specific station will be made.
"Men so enlisted will be transferred to the commandant of the district concerned for assignment."

FANCHER PICNIC A BIG SUCCESS

PROCEEDS AT ENTERTAINMENT
ON SUNDAY AFTERNOON
AMOUNT TO NEARLY
\$2,000

CLUB ROOMS ARE PLANNED

RECREATION QUARTERS TO BE
ESTABLISHED IN CHURCH
BASEMENT

To select as late a date as September 26th for an outdoor picnic, would ordinarily be considered a risky proposition from the standpoint of weather conditions, but the members of St. Mary's congregation at Fancher "budded better than they knew" when they chose Sunday for their annual outing.

Almost ideal climatic conditions prevailed and the crowd which gathered numbered several thousand people. A conservative estimate of the automobiles which lined the road-sides and almost covered the parish grounds, is placed at five hundred. Chicken dinner and supper were served in the parochial school rooms, various stands were erected for the sale of candy, ice cream and soft drinks and several sources of entertainment were provided for the children and young men. Music was furnished by Weber's band of this city. Donations of poultry, fruit, work, fruits, vegetables and many articles of merchandise, contributed by members and friends of the parish, were disposed of by Victor S. Pials and assistants, whose efforts brought a large sum of money.

Cash Receipts Big
That the picnic was a financial success is demonstrated by the cash receipts, amounting to \$1,862.

Rev. J. Chabinski, pastor of St. Mary's congregation, is recognized as a champion of exceptional vim and energy and a thorough American in all his term phrases. Besides looking after the spiritual welfare of his people he is not unmindful of their physical welfare.

Recreation Quarters
In response to this, Father Chabinski is having part of the church basement transformed into club rooms for the young people and has already ordered bowling, alleys and other devices for amusement or recreation. The new social center is expected to prove especially popular during the winter months.

To Enlarge School
Another improvement about to be undertaken at Fancher is the addition of a third story to the parochial school building, to be used for dormitory purposes. Nearly one hundred boys and girls who live a considerable distance away are provided with board and rooms by the convent sisters during the school year, remaining there five days each week, for which they are asked to pay only a nominal sum. Last year the monthly charge was \$6.00 per pupil, or less than \$1.75 per week.

USE ASHES FOR ROADS

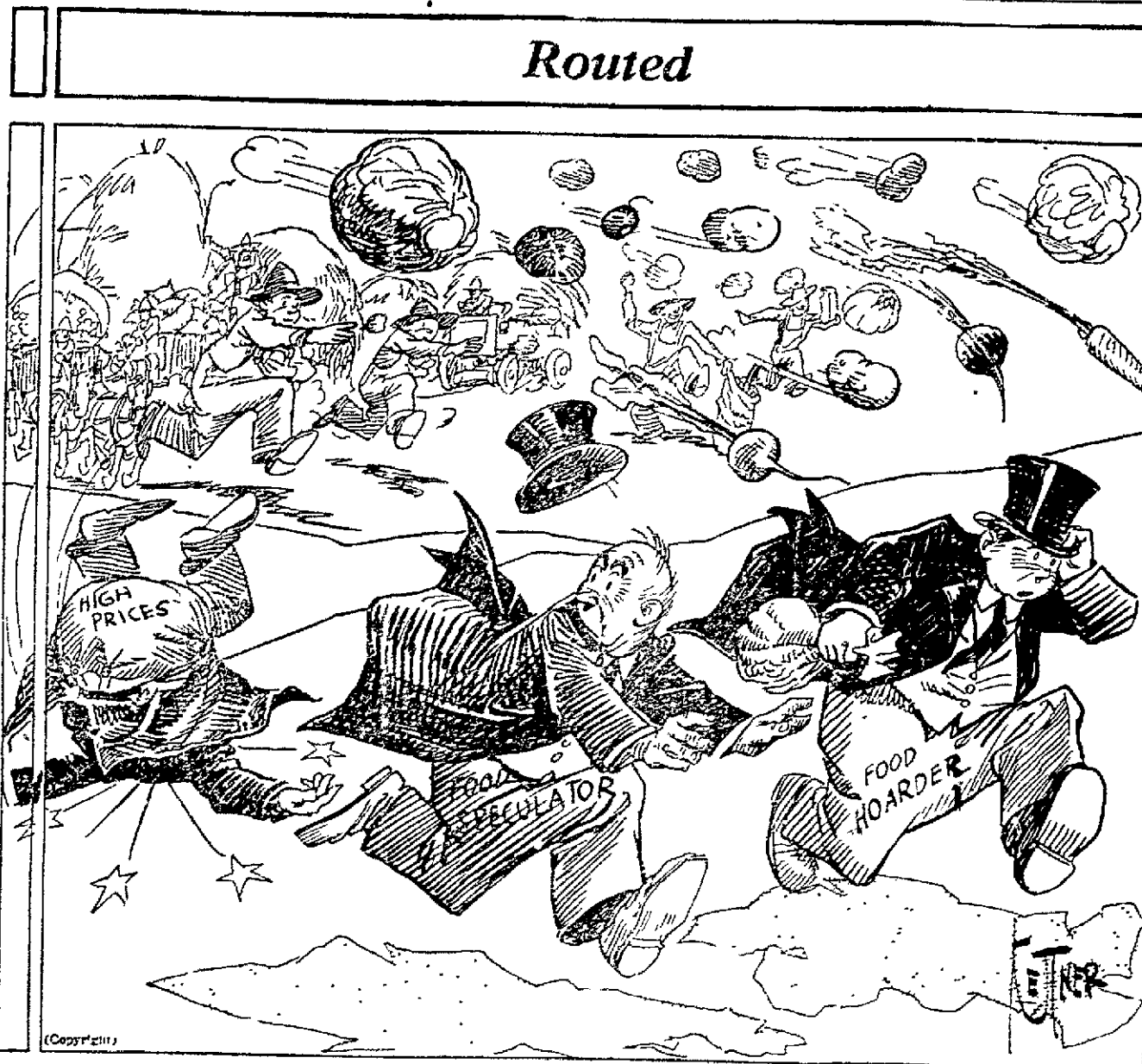
LOCAL EDUCATOR CALLS ATTENTION TO METHOD USED IN LA CROSSE

Prof. J. V. Collins calls the Journal's attention to the following interesting paragraph on road material, which appears in the September 18 number of the Scientific American:

"The city of La Crosse, Wis., is to continue the plan adopted about two years ago of covering the streets with ashes. By this plan the sandy and almost impassable streets are converted into smooth, hard driveways. In the last two years the Board of Public Works has thus improved about ten miles of streets, using the ashes from residences and factories. Between 30 and 35 loads of ashes (two yards per load) are required for the improvement of one block of sandy street, at a cost of a little over \$14 per block for haulage only, or about \$186 per mile, as against the old practice of paying to have them hauled and dumped on waste land."

WITHHOLD INFORMATION ON MAYOR'S CONDITION

London, September 25.—All information in regard to the condition of Terence MacSwiney, hunger striking lord mayor of Cork, was withheld in Brixton prison today as a result of a rumor spread that MacSwiney was nearing death on the 44th day of his hunger strike.



JUNIOR DEPARTMENT IS GIVEN A PICTURE

ITS PRESENTATION A FEATURE
OF RALLY DAY EXERCISES
AT LOCAL CHURCH
SUNDAY

The rally day program at the Presbyterian church Sunday morning was attended by a congregation which filled the church.

A feature of the program was the presentation of a picture to the Junior department by the class of girls who graduated from the Junior to the Intermediate department. The presentation was made by Miss Jean Mainland and the speech of acceptance and appreciation was made by Isabelle Cooper.

The program was for the most part a review of the memory work of the various classes of the Sunday school. Approximately 120 promotion certificates were presented and several musical numbers rendered.

REDS ARE ATTACKED ALONG THREE FRONTS IN COMBINED ACTION

ANTI-BOLSHEVIK FORCES HAM-
MER SOVIET ARMIES IN
LAST BIG DRIVE BE-
FORE APPROACH
OF WINTER

London, September 27.—Anti-bolshevik forces were hammering the Reds on three fronts today, according to official communiqués received here, in what appears to be the last combined drive before winter halts operations.

A Warsaw dispatch says that the Polish official communiqué today reported the capture of Grodno by the Polish forces. This places the Poles on the Polish boundary line as proposed by the Versailles peace conference. Heavy fighting preceded the city's fall, the bolsheviks resisting desperately. The Polish communiqué, referring to actions on Saturday, announced important gains along the entire front.

General Wrangel's communiqué regarding operations in southern Russia said his forces had taken Alexandrovsk, Poltava, Kharkoff and portions of the basin. A junction with Wrangel's force is said to be in prospect.

MARRIAGE LICENSES
The following couples have applied for marriage licenses at the court house: Frank Alfruth, Stevens Point, and Marie Wellner, Marshfield; Joseph Heitzinger and Leora Oles, both of Junction City; John Busa and Marie Olson, both of Stevens Point.

NORMAL ELEVEN DEFEATS MERRILL IN INITIAL GAME

LOCAL PLAYERS WALK AWAY
WITH FOOTBALL VIC-
TORY ON SATURDAY
BY THE SCORE
OF 37 TO 7

The State Normal school football team walked away with victory in its initial game of the season at Merrill on Saturday afternoon, defeating by the score of 37 to 7 the Merrill High school eleven. The first quarter had progressed only a few minutes before the outcome of the game was made certain.

Merrill failed to make its downs but once throughout the entire game. In the last two minutes of play Stange for the losers intercepted a Normal forward pass on the 20 yard line and crossed the goal line defended by the Stevens Point men for the only touchdown for Merrill. Kicking goal added an additional point.

Five Players Score

Two touchdowns were made by Quarterback George Holman for Stevens Point and one each by McCarr, Elliott, Anschuetz and Pahl. The first quarter ended in a 19 to 0 score and at the close of the half the count stood at 25 to 0. Twelve more points were added by Coach Swetland's men made consistent gains through the Merrill line and were also successful in gaining ground by the actual rate, putting across five complete passes out of eight attempts. In the opening quarter the Normal eleven began its march down the field.

Merrill Outweighed
The losers were outweighed from six to eight pounds to the man. Stange, Merrill star, failed to use his toe to advantage in Saturday's contest, being unsuccessful in attempts to score by resort to the drop kick. He kicked off well, however, and his punting was good.

Weather a Drawback
Both teams showed plainly the strain under which they were forced to play due to the high temperature of the day. With the thermometer well up in the eighties, the heat was oppressive, proving an especially hard test for the athletes on account of the short time which they have been practicing this season.

ANNOUNCEMENTS MAILED

Chamber of Commerce Members

Urged to Attend Open Forum
Announcements have been sent out to members of the Stevens Point Chamber of Commerce for the first monthly meeting of the membership as a whole, which will be held in the Elks' club rooms on Wednesday evening of this week beginning at 8 o'clock.

The announcements state that prominent outside speakers will be in attendance and several important matters of interest to the city will come up for discussion. Members are asked to reserve this date and make a special effort to be present.

ARTISTS TO COME HERE IN PERSON

HARDY WILLIAMSON AND THE
FLEMING SISTERS TRIO TO
BE IN CITY NEXT WEEK

Is it possible for a singer to sing a duet with herself?
Can a living voice and the same voice re-created on an instrument be so identical in tone quality that they cannot be distinguished, one from the other?

Has science achieved a triumph that marks the dawn of a new day in the art of music?

These are some of the questions—question in which every person of culture must take a deep interest—that will be answered at the recital to be given at the New Lyric Theater on Wednesday evening, October 6th. Invitations to this affair, at which Hardy Williamson, the great English tenor, and the charming Fleming Sisters Trio will appear, have been received by many prominent musicians of this city, and interest in the coming affair seems to be keen in musical circles. The appearance of these celebrated artists, of course, will be sufficient to arouse the enthusiasm of music lovers here, but the fact that they will lend their superb art to the laudable work of revealing conclusively that the marvelous achievement of the re-creation of musical sound has been attained, adds immeasurable interest to the occasion.

In the coming recital, these artists will sing and play in comparison with their art as re-created by the New Edison, to enable the audience to judge whether or not the living performances can be made to live forever. The audience will try to pick the two golden threads of tone apart—to say which one lives for the moment and which one has been made immortal. Can it be done? Cards of admittance can be secured from The Meyer Drug Co., 305 Main street, if you wish to have this question answered.

REGISTER OF DEEDS
BACK FROM ROCHESTER
Register of Deeds Ed. Larson spent several days in Rochester, Minn., last week in consultation with physicians at the Mayo Bros. hospital. Mr. Larson is still suffering from the effects of neuritis with which he was afflicted a few years ago and sought a complete cure from the ailment. He underwent a physical examination after which a treatment was prescribed for his case.

MET AT WINNIPEG

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. H. Mayer returned home Saturday from a ten days' trip to Winnipeg, Canada, where Mr. Mayer went as representative of the Soo line to a convention of superintendents of telegraph. The gathering comprised nearly 250 men from every important railroad in the United States and Canada. There were also present upwards of seventy ladies, who were royally entertained by the people of Winnipeg with auto rides, theatrical performances and other diversions. The principal social diversion of convention week was an evening banquet, when addresses were delivered by several distinguished speakers.

OVER HUNDRED ATTEND MEETING

MEN AND WOMEN IN SYMPATHY
WITH IRISH CAUSE TURN
OUT FOR SUNDAY
GATHERING

TO SELECT DELEGATES

STEVENS POINT TO BE REPRESENTED AT CONFERENCE
AT APPLETON

Upwards of one hundred men and women gathered at Knights of Columbus hall Sunday evening, called to express sympathy in behalf of Ireland's struggle for independence and to choose a delegation to go to Appleton next Thursday for a conference with Mr. Ginnell, member of the Irish parliament.

Father Hogan Speaks
Rev. Jas. C. Hogan, the promoter of the meeting, called the assemblage to order and gave a brief outline of affairs in the Emerald Isle. He read extracts from addresses made by Eamon De Valera, president of the Irish Republic, and by Archbishop Mannix of Australia, a recent visitor to the United States. The archbishop was enroute to Ireland, to visit his aged mother, but just before his boat reached Queenstown it was intercepted by four British warships and the passenger taken to a small English port. Father Hogan characterized this act as a "wonderful" feat of the British navy.

Others Called Upon
Short talks were made by Miss May Roach, Miss Mary Hanna, D. J. Leahy, W. J. Shumway, J. B. Sullivan, Dr. D. S. Rice, Geo. H. Mayer, P. Cassidy and others and in response to a motion made and carried the chair named John W. Glenon, Dr. Rice and Mr. Mayer as a committee to secure representatives for the Appleton gathering.

Want Big Delegation
It is hoped that several automobile loads of local people will drive down next Thursday and get first hand information as to conditions in the little island country which has been the scene of almost continuous strife for seven centuries.

It is proposed to call another meeting within a short time, when more information will be imparted by the delegates to Appleton.

WESTERN MAN HERE

A. M. FOX, FORMERLY A LOCAL
LUMBERMAN, VISITS IN
STEVENS POINT

A. M. Fox, for several years a prominent Stevens Point lumberman, visited among relatives and friends in town on Saturday and Sunday. He left here Monday morning enroute to Seattle, Wash., to again take up his duties as district representative for the Northwestern Life Insurance company.

Mr. Fox went west eighteen years ago and he has been located at Seattle ever since. Before coming here last week he spent several days in northern Wisconsin, where he owns a considerable tract of timber but expects to sell it this fall.

Mr. Fox's son, Clifford L. Fox, is now located in the Far East, at Tientsin, China, where he is news editor of the North China Star, an American newspaper with an international board of directors. It is the only paper, foreign language or vernacular, printed on each and every day in the year in all China. A magazine of 44 pages, issued on the occasion of the Star's second anniversary, Aug. 12, 1920, has just been received by the Journal-Gazette and is found to be intensely interesting.

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The Movement of Prices

Recent changes in prices of some
goods are interesting in themselves and
give rise to discussion of their signifi-
cance. Henry Ford has reduced the
price of his cars from \$140 to \$180, re-
presenting a cut on the smaller cars of
25 per cent. Mr. Ford says he can
afford to do it without reducing wages.
Commenting on the reported early ad-
vance in the price of flour, Mr. Ford
thinks, unless the fire price comes
down instead of going up, to build his
own fire factory and equip his cars,
representing half of the whole pleasure
an output of the country, with fires
of his own make. Coming from a man
who has accomplished what Ford has
in the automobile industry, and who is
now rated the third richest man in
America, this is no idle threat. What
he says he will do so far as business
is concerned, he is pretty likely to do.

President Franklin of the Franklin
automobile company followed Ford's
act with a similar one. He has re-
duced the price of his cars by 20 per
cent. This means a reduction in the
price of touring car price from \$2,000
to \$2,400, and the two announcements,
coming together, are likely to have an
important effect on the whole auto-
mobile industry. Some of the other cars
will have to come down whether they
wish to do so or not.

The general significance of these de-
velopments is a question. Many per-
sons, some of them considered high au-
thority, predict a general decline in
prices. Barlow's reports and the
quarterly report of the Continental and
Commercial National bank of Chicago,
among others, predict a fall all along
the line. At Chicago grain prices are
the lowest for three and one-half years,
and there is talk in reductions in
clothing and women's wear.

On the other hand certain stubborn
facts argue against a reduction in all
goods, even when it is made in some,
and the public must not be too optimis-
tic in rushing to the conclusion that
there is to be a big cut in everything,
or even any kind of cut as to some
commodities. The war taxes remain.
They will continue for years to be
from \$50 to \$100 a year on each family.
The increased freight rates just going
into effect amount to at least \$75 a
year per family.

Wages must stay high, and if the
farmer is to prosper and stay on the
farm, probably he must get more in-
stead of less. Many have not noticed
any reduction or sign of it in the
things they buy. In the line with
which we are most familiar we have
to meet increases in some stocks of
25 per cent within the past month.
The rate of prices depends largely,
it seems to us, on what made them
high. Some are high because the pub-
lic wanted the goods at any price. An-
other reason is the higher cost of pro-
duction. In many cases both reasons
doubtless applied. We presume it is
true that many producers added some-
thing to their price, first, because they
had to do it to meet increased cost of
labor and materials, and second, some-
thing further because they could get it.
With lessening demand the latter in-
creases may be wiped out, but the former
reason remains. Automobiles, be-
ing a semi-luxury, had the highest ad-
vance when people had the most
money to throw away; also for the
same reason, they are the quickest to
feel the lessening demand.

Finding a Basis of Prices

Some prices have gone down, and
others will take the same course.
Some are still going up and there is
no certainty where the rises will stop.
The business situation is not the
same in every line of trade. In some
lines advances have gone away beyond
the average; in others the rise has
been smaller. In some supply has
caught up with demand, or is ap-
proaching it; in others supply still
runs far short. Wage increases are
being made in some fields, and others
remain to be made. Many work-
men have not had advances in sal-
ary commensurate with the aver-
age and will yet get them. Some
trades have not shared as well as
others. In general the more skilled
and artistic trades have not been
cared for as well as the unskilled and
rougher work. There must be read-
justments to take care of such con-
ditions for in the end the work re-
quiring the best brain and industry

must pay beyond that calling for
less of either.

What the country is looking for is
a permanent price basis. It is not
to be the old price basis either for
wages or prices. The war put the
country on a new price level. The
problem is to find out just where
that level should be and firmly ground
upon it. To make prices such as are
necessary to pay decent wages, give
the farmer a good return and pay rea-
sonable returns on investment, while
trimming down such prices as are due
to ability to squeeze the money out of
liver because he must have the goods,
whether those goods be food, cloth-
ing, labor or other article that is
sold, is the question the country is
now facing. Within a year it is
hoped that the country will know
where it is at, will know what fair
prices and fair wages and a fair
day's work are under the conditions
as modified by the war.

It will be better all around when
stability is established. A period of
restlessness following the war was
natural. But for millions of years
man has earned his bread in the
sweat of his brow. Every man who
thinks must know that that natural
law is not all at once to be repealed,
permitting the world to live hence-
forth without work. Work for every-
body, for man and woman, for em-
ployer and employee, for city man
and farmer, work not so tedious as
to crush the spirit but sufficiently en-
grossing to produce all the things that
the world eats up and wears out and
requires for all its other manifold
uses, that is the natural condition of
life and to that within a brief time
we are all going back.

800 LAYS DOUBLE TRACK

Two miles of double track are being
laid by the Soo line through Xenah.
Passenger and freight service will be
facilitated, railroad officials say.

CLUB LAUNCHES DRIVE
FOR BIG MEMBERSHIP

FISH AND GAME PROTECTIVE AS-
SOCIATION PLANNING FOR
ANOTHER SUCCESSFUL
YEAR OF WORK

Officers of the Portage County Fish
and Game Protective association are
calling attention of members through a
letter sent out to them, that the
yearly membership ended on Septem-
ber 1, and that their support is again
wanted for another successful year.
The fee is \$1, which they are asked to
return to the association in an envel-
ope sent to them. At least 500 mem-
bers are wanted.

The letter, signed by Dr. A. E. Mac-
Millan, president, and W. B. Murat,
secretary, reads as follows:

"Dear Sportsman:
"What luck have you had fishing
this year? Most of the boys are boast-
ing of their catches of trout. Have you
been out on the Wolf or Emmet or
Tomorrow this summer? Have you
had any lines torn out of your hand on
Ditch Two or Four this season? Now
really, have you missed all those
thrills, and the good fellowship that
goes with them? Then read the little
poem that we enclose and resolve that
you will not miss them next season.
If you haven't missed them, read the
poem and see how well it hits your
case; then lay it away and read it this
winter when the snow is deep and the
thermometer 30 below.

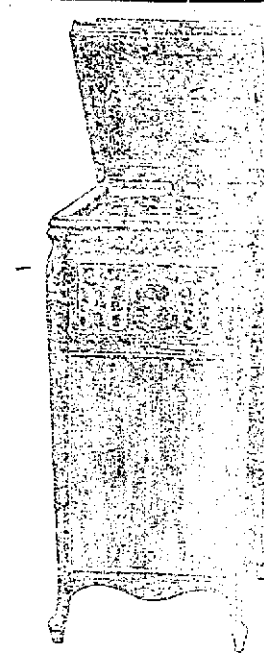
"Our association is striving to pro-
vide good, clean, healthful sport for
every red-blooded American man and
boy in the county. You have helped
us in the past and we are counting
on you to help in the future and we
know we shall not be disappointed.

"We have secured the services of a
conservation warden who is fearlessly
on his job day and night. We have
purchased him a car that not only the
territory adjacent to the city but every
part of the county may be protect-
ed. We have planted 50 cans of trout

and about 60 cans of other fish. We
have the promise of a car of Bass, etc.,
later this fall. We trust you enjoyed
the banquet last year and there is a
better one ahead.

"While these things are nothing to
shout about, they constitute a real
movement in the right direction. We
count on your help in making this
movement grow. Our yearly member-
ship ends September 1 and we are
about to begin a new year. We want
to make our membership this year at
least 500; to start things rolling, we
want you to renew your membership
today. The fee is so small, kindly
do not wait for us to solicit you. Just
enclose a dollar bill or a check for
a dollar payable to the association in
the enclosed envelope and our treas-
urer will mail you a receipt. If we
do not hear from you in one week you
will be visited by some member of
the committee. But we know you will
not wait for this; you will send yours
in, thus allowing our committee to de-
vote its time to securing new members.
Kindly do it today or you'll lose the
envelope.

"See you at our annual banquet.
"Thanks."



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phones, Baldwin
Pianos and Play-
ers, all the latest
attachments, Band
and String Instruments. Every instru-
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PICTURE STAR'S BODY
RETURNED TO AMERICA

REMAINS OF OLIVE THOMAS
REACH NEW YORK—STEVENS
POINT WOMAN ARRIVES ON
SAME LINER

New York, September 2—The body
of Olive Thomas, American motion
picture actress, who died of mercur-
ial poisoning in Paris, arrived today
on the liner Mauretania. Jack Pick-
ford, her husband, and Owen Moore,
former husband of Mary Pickford, ac-
companied the body.

Among the passengers on board the
Mauretania were Mrs. C. G. Macnish
of Stevens Point and Mrs. J. M. Bish-
off of Wausau, D. C., formerly of
this city, who are returning from a
two months' trip to Europe, during
which they visited England, France,
Holland and Belgium. The object of
their trip overseas was to visit the
grave in France of Mrs. Macnish's

son, Lieutenant George Macnish, who
died in July, 1918, while in the mili-
tary service of the United States

STILL IS CONFISCATED

A federal prohibition agent and a
Wausau detective seized and confis-
cated a whisky still which was found
in operation on the premises of Frank
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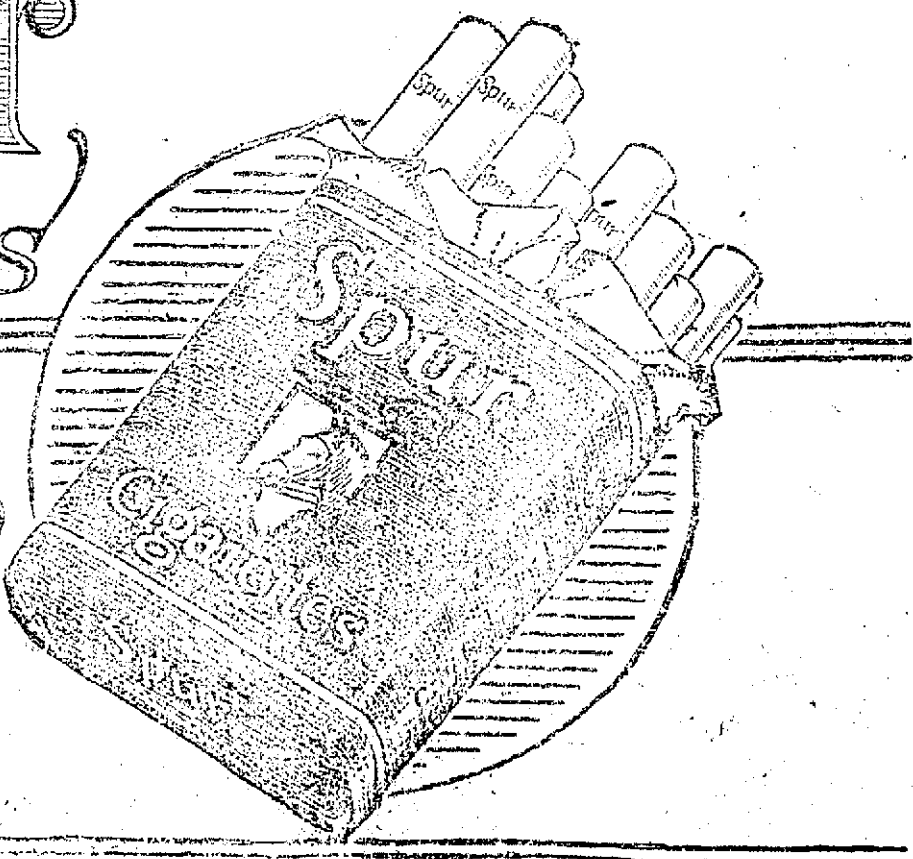
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